

**RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****JUN 22 2007**

Law Offices of

**CHAPMAN AND CUTLER LLP
Intellectual Property Department**

111 West Monroe Street, Suite 1700, Chicago, Illinois 60603-4080

Telephone 1•312•845•3000 FAX 1•312• 701•2361

Direct Dial 1•312•845•3919**FACSIMILE COVER PAGE**This transmission consists of 11 page(s) including cover page.

Please call (312) 845-3919 if you have any problems with this transmission.

Date: Friday, June 22, 2007

Fax Number: 1-571-273-8300

To: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
United States Patent and Trademark Office

ATTN: Examiner Tuyen Q. TRA, Art Unit 2873

Re: U.S. Pat. App. Ser. No. 10/525,540

From: Robert J. Schneider, Reg. No. 27,383

Attorney 1716372
Docket. No.: _____

ATTACHED: **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**
IN SER. NO. 10/525,540

NOTICE OF CONFIDENTIALITY: The information contained in this facsimile transmission is confidential information which may contain information that is legally privileged and exempt from disclosure under applicable law. The information is intended solely for the use of the individual or entity named above. If you are not the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that any disclosure, copying, distribution or taking of any action in reliance on the contents of this facsimile transmission is strictly prohibited. If you have received this facsimile transmission in error, please notify us immediately by telephone to arrange for the return of the original transmission to us.

JSB

JUN 22 2007

U.S. Pat. App. Ser. No. 10/525,540

Attorney Docket No. 1716372

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:)	Examiner:	Tra, Tuyen Q.
Naoyuki Maeda et al.)	Group Art Unit:	3735
U.S. Serial No.: 10/525,540)	Confirmation No.:	7009
International Appln. No. PCT/JP03/10276)		
Filing Date: February 24, 2005)		
For: PORTABLE OPHTHALMIC)		
APPARATUS AND)		
OPHTHALMIC SYSTEM)		

FILED VIA FACSIMILE TO 571-273-8300

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

The following is filed in timely response to the Office Action mailed on March 22, 2007, wherein the Examiner:

1. Rejected Claims 1, 2, 7 and 9 under Section 102(b) as being anticipated by Ueda et al., U.S. Patent No. 5,150,146.
2. Rejected Claims 1 and 7 under Section 102(b) as being anticipated by Ueda et al., PCT Pat. App. Pub. No. WO 97/36537.
3. Found Claims 3, 4-6, 8 and 10-20 allowable if rewritten in independent form including all limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

2261989.01.03.doc
1716372